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Estill Court Directory.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Judge - D. B. Redwine
Com'nw'lth's Att'y A. H. Howard
Clerk - James A. Wallace
Deputy Clerk Vernon L. Vaughn
Commissioner - John D. Winn
Circuit Court is held on the fourth Monday in March, June and November.

COUNTY COURT.

Judge - W. H. Lilly
Clerk - Vernon L. Vaughn
County Attorney - L. A. West
Deputy Clerk James A. Wallace
Sheriff - James F. West
Jailer - J. H. Powell
Coroner - A. Underwood
Superint'd't of schools C. Marum
County court is held on the third Monday of each month.

Quarterly terms of the county court are held the second Mondays in February, May, August and November.

County court of claims meet in April and October.

LOCAL MAGISTRATE'S COURT.

Justice - David N. Witt.
Constable - J. J. McIntosh
Court is held on the 16th of March, June, September and December.

Church Directory.

BAPTIST.

Services on first Saturday afternoon, and Sunday following; Rev. A. G. Coker, pastor
Powell's Valley Second Saturday and Sunday; Rev. J. G. Parsons, pastor.

M. E. CHURCH SOUTH.

Services on the third Saturday night and Sunday morning at 11 o'clock; Rev. S. M. Carrier, pastor.

M. E. CHURCH.

Services at Kimbrell's Chapel on the first Sunday; Rev. W. H. Thompson, pastor.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Services at Hardwick's creek on the third Sunday morning at 11 o'clock; Rev. P. Frank Wright, pastor pro tem. Log Lick—Services on Second Sunday; Rev. E. W. Marcum, pastor.

OLD BAPTIST.

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The supreme court of Arkansas has decided that a husband is liable for debts of a wife contracted before marriage.

The king of Siam has an income of about \$2,000,000 a year. His royal palace is populated by 5,000 people, and is a little city in itself. The ornamental grounds comprise 25 acres.

"I didn't have much luck in the legislature," sighed an aspiring young man who is now in the insurance business. "That old Skinley from the Hawbush district kept ripping me up every move I made. I wanted to go at him hammer and tongs, but he never appeared to know that there was such a member as I. He never used my name when speaking, never looked at me and never openly opposed any of my bills. But every time I bobbed up he knocked it to me. When I introduced my bill to do away with high hats in the theater, he offered one making it a misdemeanor for a woman over 15 years of age to appear bareheaded in any place of public amusement. The only way of keeping even was by dropping both of these proposed measures.

"Having a large prohibition constituency, I offered a bill in which a penalty was fixed for selling or drinking any malt or spirituous liquors except under certain restrictions which would make it impossible to maintain saloons. Old Skinley at once prepared and presented a measure making it a crime for any man, woman or child to have or to indulge a thirst for any thing stronger than tea, coffee, water, milk or what are commonly known as soft drinks. I was laughed off the floor when I attempted to urge my bill.

"When I offered a bill forbidding any person to marry before he or she had attained the age of 21, Skinley was soon on deck with another bill prohibiting any young man or woman from falling in love without first procuring a license from the clerk. That's the way the fellow squelched me at every turn. You can read my legislative record on a sheet of blank paper, and that's why I'm out of politics. But if Skinley ever comes up again just watch my smoke."—Detroit Free Press.

Gold fields beside which Klondyke is poor are said to have been discovered in Siberia.

Pointed Paragraphs.

Where there's a will there's usually a contestant.

Snow comes down in winter and ice goes up in summer.

Time flies. That's one advantage it has over flying machines.

The wind has a great deal to do with making the weather—vane.

When some men feel blue they get drunk and paint things red.

The stronger the butter is in the tub the weaker it is in the market.

A doctor may spend money like water, but he doesn't get it from the well.

After a man secures a girl's hand he sometimes finds she has him under her thumb.

One word always leads to another—no matter whether you are reading the Bible or a dime novel.

A man must have a lot of bravery in his make-up to enable him to listen calmly to the whistling of bullets.

One should make allowance for youthful follies. The cat, the gravest of all animals, is the most frisky when young.—Chicago News.

The town of Mauckport, O. has a very queer family. It consists of Mrs. Anna Nickum, a widow and eleven children. She is 68 years old, and 52 of these years have been spent in bed. She lost the use of her lower limbs at 16. She was at this time engaged to be married and was married, thinking that she would recover. But the use of her limbs never returned, and she has been in bed ever since. Eleven children has been born unto her and she has nursed all of them as well as any mother can. They are all strong and sound in body and limb.

London, England was visited last week by the largest fire for more than four centuries. The fire started near the site where the great conflagration of 1666 originated, and raged for five hours. The loss is estimated at \$20,000,000 to \$30,000,000, 150 valuable warehouses, a number of business blocks and a few dwellings being burned. No loss of life was reported. The fire is thought to have originated from an explosion of gas due to search for a leak that was being made by a naked lamp in an umbrella makers shop. An area of about seven acres was swept by the flames.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

A wedding is life's prize package.

If eyes were windows of the soul there would be more people that squint.

Marriage is a lottery in which men have to wear the blanks around their necks.

If some men were in business for their health they'd take the doctor into partnership.—New York Press.

(Elisebethtown News.)

Mr. Bryan tells a good story the expense of the Palmer and Buckner Democrats: A traveling man on a Missouri train said that he could tell by the looks of the passengers what political party they belonged to. "This man here," "is a Republican." "Yes," said the passenger, "that is my politics." That man over there is a Democrat. "That is correct," responded the second passenger. "That man in the third seat is a Populist." "Correct you are," said the Populist. "And that man further on is a gold standard democrat." "No I am not," promptly responded the fellow. "I've been sick; that's what makes me look this way.

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